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SUBJ: PENDING U.S. BAN ON USE OF SACCHARIN IN FOOD AND BEVERAGES

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1. ACCORDING TO THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF PHARMACY OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH PERU GENERALLY IS GUIDED BY THE POLICIES OF THE PAN AMERICAN HEALTH ORGANIZATION AND THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION IN THE CONTROL OF FOOD AND DRUG PRODUCTS. IN THE CASE OF SACCHARIN, THE GOP IS LIKELY TO FOLLOW THE U.S. LEAD IF THE PRODUCT IS FINALLY BANNED.

2. LIQUID SACCHARIN AND SACCHARIN TABLETS ARE PRODUCED LOCALLY IN SOME 8 OR 10 LABORATORIES FROM IMPORTED SACCHARIN BASE. PRODUCTION HAS BEEN TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED FOLLOWING NEWS OF A POSSIBLE U.S. BAN. NO ACTION HAS YET BEEN TAKEN TO RESTRICT IMPORTS.

3. IN ADDITION TO SOFT DRINKS SACCHARIN IS USED IN OVER 180 MEDICAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS. PRELIMINARY STATISTICS INDICATE THAT PERU IMPORTED 11.7 METRIC TONS OF SACCHARIN BASE VALUED AT US\$ 78,945 (FOB) DURING 1976.
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